

Candle In The Wind

Words & Music by Elton John & Bernie Taupin

32 Bars per minute

Good-bye Nor-ma jean though I nev-er knew you at all
Lone-li-ness was tough the tough-est role you ev-er played Hol-ly -

— you had the grace to hold your-self while those a-round you crawled
- wood cre-at-ed a su-per star and pain was the price you paid

They crawled out of the wood-work and they whis-pered
ev-en when you died - Oh the

in - to your brain they set you on a tread - mill and they
 press still hound - ed you all the pa - pers had to say was that

A E

made you change your name } And it seems to me you
 Mar - y - lin was found in the nude }

A B

lived your life like a can - die in the wind Nev - er

E A

know - ing who to cling to when the rain set in

E Esus4 E B

And I would have liked_ to have known_ you but_ I was just_

A

a kid_ Your can - dle had burned out long_ be - fore_ your

C#m B

To Coda ♦

leg - end ev - er did_

A G#m F#m E E sus 4 E

B B7 E B7 E B

Good-bye Nor - ma Jean ——— though I nev - er knew you at all —
 Good-bye Nor - ma Jean ——— from the young man in the twen - ty sec - ond row —

E A

— you had — the grace to hold your - self — while those a - round you crawled
 who sees you as some-thing more than sex - u - al — more than just Ma - ri-lyn Mon - roe —

B7 E A E A

1 2 *D. S. al Coda* **CODA**
 And it The can - die had burned out

A A G#m7 F#m7 C#m

long — be - fore — your leg - end ev - er did —

B A E